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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Department of Health—Appropriations for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1916.
(Act of Congress No. 268, Mar. 3, 1915.)

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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health officer, \$4,000; assistant health officer, \$2,500; chief clerk and deputy health officer, \$2,500; clerks—one \$1,400, five at \$1,200 each, four at \$1,000 each, one \$720; sanitary inspectors—chief \$1,800, eight at \$1,200 each, two at \$1,000 each, two at \$900 each; food inspectors—chief \$1,600, five at \$1,200 each, six at \$1,000 each, five at \$900 each; chemist, \$2,000; assistant chemist, \$1,200; assistant bacteriologist, \$1,200; skilled laborers—one \$720, one \$600; messenger and janitor, \$600; driver, \$600; pound-master, \$1,200; laborers, at not exceeding \$50 per month each, \$2,400; in all, \$64,940.

Not less than 12 of the sanitary and food inspectors above provided for shall be employed in enforcement of milk and pure food laws and regulations relating thereto and in the inspection of dairies and dairy farms.

For enforcement of the provisions of an act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1897, and an act for the prevention of scarlet fever, diphtheria, measles, whooping cough, chicken pox, epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis, and typhoid fever in the District of Columbia, approved February 9, 1907, and an act to provide for registration of all cases of tuberculosis in the District of Columbia, for free examination of sputum in suspected cases, and for preventing the spread of tuberculosis in said District, approved May 13, 1908, under the direction of the health officer of said District, and for the prevention of other communicable diseases, including salaries or compensation for personal services, not exceeding \$12,000, when ordered in writing by the commissioners and necessary for the enforcement and execution of said acts, and for the prevention of such other communicable diseases as hereinbefore provided, purchase and maintenance of necessary horses, wagons, and harness, purchase of reference books and medical journals, and maintenance of quarantine station and smallpox hospital, \$25,000: *Provided*, That any bacteriologist employed under this appropriation shall not be paid more than \$6 per day and may be assigned by the health officer to the bacteriological examination of milk and other dairy products and of the water supplies of dairy farms, and to such other sanitary work as in the judgment of the health officer will promote the public health, whether such examinations be or be not directly related to contagious diseases.

For repairs to the smallpox hospital and administration building, \$1,000.

For repairing and painting quarantine station, \$400.

For maintenance of disinfecting service, including salaries or compensation for personal services when ordered in writing by the commissioners and necessary for maintenance of said service, and for purchase and maintenance of necessary horses, wagons, and harness, \$6,000.

For enforcement of the provisions of an act to provide for the drainage of lots in the District of Columbia, approved May 17, 1896, and an act to provide for the abatement of nuisances in the District of Columbia by the commissioners, and for other purposes, approved April 14, 1906, \$1,500.

For special services in connection with the detection of the adulteration of drugs and of foods, including candy and milk, \$100.

Bacteriological laboratory: For maintaining and keeping in good order, and for the purchase of reference books and scientific periodicals, \$1,000.

Chemical laboratory: For the purchase and installation of new apparatus and equipment, \$2,080; for the replacement of apparatus and equipment, \$755; and for main-

taining and keeping in good order, and for the purchase of reference books and scientific periodicals, \$500; in all, \$3,335.

For contingent expenses incident to enforcement of an act to regulate the sale of milk in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, approved March 2, 1895; an act relating to the adulteration of foods and drugs in the District of Columbia, approved February 17, 1898; an act to prevent the adulteration of candy in the District of Columbia, approved May 5, 1898; an act for preventing the manufacture, sale, or transportation of adulterated or misbranded or poisonous or deleterious foods, drugs, medicines, and liquors, and for regulating traffic therein, and for other purposes, approved June 30, 1906, \$1,000.

For necessary expenses of inspection of dairy farms, including amounts that may be allowed the health officer, assistant health officer, medical inspector in charge of contagious-disease service, and inspectors assigned to the inspection of dairy farms, for maintenance by each of a horse and vehicle, or motor vehicle, for use in the discharge of his official duties, not to exceed \$240 per annum, and allowances for such other inspectors in the service of the health department as the commissioners may determine, of not exceeding \$100 per annum for maintenance of a motor cycle each, or of not exceeding \$25 per annum for the maintenance of a bicycle each, for use in the discharge of their official duties, and other necessary traveling expenses, \$6,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

The examinations, inspection, rules, and regulations concerning the milk supply of the District of Columbia shall be applied alike to each State shipping milk into said District.

Garfield and Providence Hospitals: For isolating wards for minor contagious diseases at Garfield Memorial and Providence Hospitals, maintenance, \$7,000 and \$5,000, respectively, or so much thereof as in the opinion of the commissioners may be necessary; in all, \$12,000.

For maintenance, including personal services, of the public crematory, \$2,000.

For maintenance of one motor vehicle for the sanitary and food inspection service, \$400.

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HAWAII.

Poisons and Drugs—Sale of.¹ (Reg. Bd. of H., May 27, 1915.)

SEC. 101. *Drugs and chemicals.*—The following substances shall be known as schedule "A" drugs and chemicals; they shall be held to constitute poisons within the meaning of chapter 73 of the Revised Laws, 1915, and shall not be sold except upon the prescription of a duly licensed practitioner of medicine (R. L. 1052), or upon a permit issued by the board of health.

Acetanilide.	Cocaine.
Aconite (aconitine).	Codeine.
Alpha eucaine.	Coniine (alkaloid of hemlock).
Antipyrine.	Croton oil.
Belladonna (atropine).	Digitalis.
Beta eucaine.	Ergot.
Brucine.	Henbane (hyoscyamus).
Cannabis indica.	Heroin.
Cantharides.	Hydrastine (in golden seal)
Chloral hydrate.	Hydrocyanic acid.
Chloroform.	Morphine.

¹The sections referred to are secs. 96 to 99, inclusive, on pp. 1799 and 1800 of the Public Health Reports for June 11, 1915.